



Sustainable Arlington

An Environment Committee of Envision Arlington

Agenda

Date: Wednesday, February 15, 2023

Time: 7:30 – 9:00 pm

Location: Virtual Meeting by Zoom

Please register in advance to get the zoom link:

<https://town-arlington-ma-us.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZcqcu6tqTsvHde3W48vPHMHXpm1XosiTuXd>

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At the start of the meeting, we will:

1. Confirm first and last name of everyone on the call for the minutes and make sure that everyone can hear each other
2. Read [Preamble to Remote Meetings](#)
3. Introduce all members, staff, and persons on the agenda
4. Meeting materials will be available online through Novus or Town website for the public.

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1. Introductions
2. Native American Land Acknowledgement
3. Updates:
 - a. Planning Department

- b. Massachusetts Climate Action Network
 - i. MCAN's Legislative priorities for 193rd session, 2023-24
 - 1. How to support
- 4. Specialized Opt-In Stretch Code - next steps
 - a. [Specialized Stretch Energy Code Public Forum](#), March 1, 7-8:30 pm (zoom)
 - b. Town Meeting Member outreach: precinct captains, volunteers for precinct meetings, website, writing letters
- 5. Artificial turf: life cycle concerns (gas production, post-installation pollution, disposal)
- 6. "Open mic" – what are your concerns and observations regarding local environmental and climate impact issues?
- 7. Approve January minutes
- 8. Announcements:
 - a. Sewing materials swap, Sat., Feb. 18, 9:30-11:30 am, Robbins Library. [Sign up here](#).
 - b. [Poets Corner Public Input Meeting #3](#) - Park & Recreation Commission; Poet's Corner Field Use, Renovation, and Community Partners, Thurs., Feb. 23, 6 pm (zoom). All interested persons are encouraged to attend. Written comments may be sent to the Arlington Recreation Office, 422 Summer Street, Arlington, MA 02474 or emailed to jconnelly@town.arlington.ma.us.
 - c. Invasive Plant Management info table at Robbins Library throughout February, organized by Arlington MA Invasives group (ArMI). Volunteer opportunities.
- 9. Adjourn

Next meeting: Wed. March 15. 2023. The agenda will be posted on our website and on the Town calendar [here](#).

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